

APPLICATION FOR THE

2013

**MIDDLE EAST PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVE (MEPI)
STUDENT LEADERS PROGRAM**

APPLICATION DEADLINE

February 5, 2013

Please submit your applications and
supporting documentation to the
U.S. Embassy - Sana'a



A program of the
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs
U.S. Department of State



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Provide all answers in English.

NAME

Print your name clearly **exactly** as it appears on your passport.

Last

First

Middle

Indicate any other spelling(s) or name(s) you use:

Affix two color Passport (2 x 2 inches) photographs here:

HOME COUNTRY CONTACT INFORMATION

Permanent mailing address in your home country:

Home telephone: _____

Mobile telephone: _____

Fax number: _____

E-mail address: _____

PERSONAL DATA AND PASSPORT MATERIALS

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Date of Birth: _____ Place: _____

Age _____

Month/Day/Year

City

Country

Country of permanent legal residence: _____ Country or countries of citizenship: _____

Provide a clear photocopy of the photo/data information page of your current passport.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Provide the names and contact information of individuals who should be notified in case of an emergency.

Name

Relationship to you

Street Address

City

State and/or Country

Telephone Number

E-mail address



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NAME (print your name/country): _____ **COUNTRY:** _____

FIELD OF STUDY

Field of Study: _____

Name of university (if currently enrolled): _____

Level in university

☐ Final year of Secondary School ☐ 1st year undergraduate study ☐ 2nd year undergraduate study ☐ 3rd year undergraduate study

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Native language(s): _____

Number of years of English study: _____ Where studied: _____

Knowledge of foreign languages, including English (rate your abilities as Excellent, Good, or Fair):

Language Name	Reading Ability	Writing Ability	Speaking Ability

NON-ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

List other community service, internships/jobs, sports or cultural activities in which you have participated regularly in the past two years. If you were a team leader, council member or other officer in any institution or activity, please note that as well.

Location/Institution and Contact	Type of Activity	Dates of Participation MM/YY – MM/YY	
		From:	To:



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PHYSICAL CHALLENGES/DISABILITIES

Describe any physical disabilities you might have. If you require any special equipment or medical treatment as a result of the physical disabilities, please describe it. This information is gathered for statistical purposes and to ensure appropriate placement. The program does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, and/or physical disabilities.

Previous Travel:

Please indicate previous travel and study or research experience outside of home country. Please include dates.

ESSAY: Personal Statement

Respond in 500 words or less, to each of the following questions:

1. Name one leader living today whom you admire and explain why. What qualities does he or she have that make him or her an effective leader?
2. How will your participation in the MEPI Student Leaders Program benefit you and others?

The essay is an essential part of the selection process and of your application for placement into an appropriate program. Be sure to include any details that highlight your personality and individuality.

SIGNATURE

By my signature, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in my application is accurate and complete, and that I intend to return to my home country upon completion of my studies in the United States. I also authorize any school or university which I have attended or will attend to release my transcripts and any report to the designated placement agency.

Signature: _____ Date: _____